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10. (Unclassified - [] LIAISON Called Mike Kraft, in the office of Senator Clifford Case (R., N. J.), who said that the statement referred to by Senator Jacob Javits (R., N. Y.) was carried in the Trenton Times but that there must have been a misunderstanding by the reporter since Senator Case was directing the statement not at CIA but the Administration. We then had a rather lengthy conversation with Kraft indicating why he felt that the story on [] had been leaked by Administration sources although he acknowledged that this would not excuse confirmation by anyone who participated in the briefing.

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11. (Unclassified - [] LIAISON In the absence of Marian Czarnecki, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, advised Jack Brady, Staff Consultant, of briefings on [] being scheduled for Representatives Larry Winn (R., Kans.) and John Buchanan (R., Ala.), which had been requested by John Holstein, of the Committee staff.

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12. (Unclassified - [] BRIEFING Called Guy McConnell, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, and confirmed the 9th and 10th of March 1976 for the Director to brief the Committee on the intelligence community and Agency budgets.

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I also advised Mr. McConnell that [] who was referred to the Agency by McConnell, will be entering on duty on 10 May 1976 as a [] was very appreciative of this information.

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13. (Unclassified - [] LIAISON Received a call from Chuck Snodgrass House Appropriations Committee staff, who said Chairman George Mahon said he saw a newspaper article about an interview with John McCone and asked me for a copy of that article. I told him I didn't recall such an article, but there had been a full page in the Evening Star the other night in which the TV Guide article by Mr. McCone was reprinted. I said I would check further and be back in touch. Mr. Thuermer's office advised this was the only article in recent weeks concerning Mr. McCone. Before I had a chance to call Snodgrass, he called me and said it was the TV Guide article and they did have a copy of that. He thanked me for checking on it.

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